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Claim 2. (Currently amended) The game as claimed in claim ~~1~~ 16, wherein said means for identifying one player's playing pieces from another player's playing pieces is different colors.

Claim 3. (Currently amended) The game as claimed in claim ~~1~~ 16, wherein said means for identifying one player's playing pieces from another player's playing pieces is different combinations of colors.

Claim 4. (Currently amended) The game as claimed in claim ~~1~~ 16, wherein said means for assigning different values to each player's playing pieces are number which are assigned to each playing piece.

Claim 5. (Original) The game as claimed in claim 4, wherein some of the playing pieces are assigned a first value and some of the playing pieces are assigned a second value, and
wherein said first value is different than said second value.

Claim 6. (Original) The game as claimed in claim 4, wherein the playing pieces are assigned three different values,
some of the playing pieces are assigned a first value,
some of the playing pieces are assigned a second value which is higher than said first value, and

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some of the playing pieces are assigned a third value which is higher than said first and second value.

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Claim 8. (Currently amended) The game as claimed in claim ~~7~~ 16, wherein there are two mirrors, one on each side of said game board.

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Claim 10. (Original) The game as claimed in claim 8, wherein one of said two mirrors allows a player to view only his own playing pieces in said one of said two mirrors.

Claim 11. (Original) The game as claimed in claim 8, wherein one of said two mirrors allows a player to view only his opponent's playing pieces in said one of said two mirrors.

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Claim 13. (Currently amended) The game as claimed in claim ~~12~~ 18, wherein each said cover has a top and a side, and
said side extends approximately 270 degrees.

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Claim 14. (Currently amended) The game as claimed in claim ~~12~~ 18, wherein each said cover is circular, and
a portion is removed from each said cover.

Claim 15. (Original) The game as claimed in claim 14, wherein a playing piece is placed in said portion which is removed from each said cover.

Claim 16. (New) A game comprising:

- a board,
- said board having a playing surface,
- said playing surface being divided into a plurality of squares,
- a plurality of playing pieces,
- means for identifying one player's playing pieces from another player's playing pieces,
- means for assigning different values to each player's playing pieces,
- means for restricting each player's view of the game board throughout the game, and
- wherein said means for restricting each player's view of the game board is a mirror.

Claim 17. (New) A game comprising:

- a board,
- said board having a playing surface,
- said playing surface being divided into a plurality of squares,
- a plurality of playing pieces,

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means for identifying one player's playing pieces from another player's playing pieces,

means for assigning different values to each player's playing pieces,

means for restricting each player's view of the game board, and

wherein said means for restricting each player's view of the game board is a mirror, and

wherein there are two mirrors, one on each side of said game board, and

wherein each of said two mirrors are attached to stands, and

said stands have means for allowing each of said two mirrors to be adjusted.

Claim 18. (New) A game comprising:

a board,

said board having a playing surface,

said playing surface being divided into a plurality of squares,

a plurality of playing pieces,

means for identifying one player's playing pieces from another player's playing pieces,

means for assigning different values to each player's playing pieces,

means for restricting each player's view of the game board, and

wherein each of said playing pieces is provided with a cover.

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Claim 19. (New) The game as claimed in claim 17, wherein said means for identifying one player's playing pieces from another player's playing pieces is different colors.

Claim 20. (New) The game as claimed in claim 17, wherein said means for identifying one player's playing pieces from another player's playing pieces is different combinations of colors.

Claim 21. (New) The game as claimed in claim 17, wherein said means for assigning different values to each player's playing pieces are number which are assigned to each playing piece.

Claim 22. (New) The game as claimed in claim 21, wherein some of the playing pieces are assigned a first value and some of the playing pieces are assigned a second value, and

wherein said first value is different than said second value.

Claim 23. (New) The game as claimed in claim 21, wherein the playing pieces are assigned three different values,

some of the playing pieces are assigned a first value,

some of the playing pieces are assigned a second value which is higher than said first value, and

some of the playing pieces are assigned a third value which is higher than said first and second value.

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Claim 24. (New) The game as claimed in claim 17, wherein one of said two mirrors allows a player to view only his own playing pieces in said one of said two mirrors.

Claim 25. (New) The game as claimed in claim 17, wherein one of said two mirrors allows a player to view only his opponent's playing pieces in said one of said two mirrors.